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METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING MULTI-LAYERED CERAMIC ELECTRONIC COMPONENT APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US											
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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:											
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3.	X	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.									
4.	X	The US has been elected (Article 31).	•								
5.	X	A copy of the International Application	on as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).								
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		b. X has been communicated by the International Bureau.									
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7.	X	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))									
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10.		An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).									
Iten	ns 11	to 20 below concern document(s) o	r information included:								
11.	X	An Information Disclosure Statement	under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.								
12.	X	An assignment document for recording	g. A separate cover sheet in compliance v	with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.							
13.		A preliminary amendment.									
14.	X	An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76									
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16.	X	A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.									
17.		A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.									
18.		A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).									
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